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Mr. Thomas Skinner  
Regional Administrator  
U.S. EPA Region 5  
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Dear Mr. Skinner:

On behalf of the Board of Directors and the membership of the Calumet Ecological Park Association, I want to let you know how very pleased we are to hear that the Calumet Container site, at the south end of Wolf Lake, will be cleaned up by U.S. EPA. This contaminated site has long been a blemish on the shores of this lake, which has so much pleasant open, green shoreline for people and wildlife to enjoy.

We understand that consideration is being given to restoring eleven acres of the Calumet Container site to wetland. We are strongly in favor of this proposal, and hope that it will become a reality. The dramatic results of the recent Biodiversity Blitz point to the tremendous potential of the Wolf Lake Area for creating additional habitat for the myriad species that are found there, as well as for additional species that may come there under favorable conditions.

We will really appreciate your favorable consideration of wetland restoration for Calumet Container. We look forward to your response.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Robert M. Kelliher".

Robert M. Kelliher  
President

cc: Bill Muno  
Verneta Simon✓

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